



STATE OF MISSOURI}

SS. Charles Roper

COUNTY OF CARTER

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

A. I, Justin Dalton Eudaley, upon my oath state as follows:

1. I am a Deputy with the Carter County Sheriff's Office.
2. I have probable cause stating that on or about 2/22/19 Charles Roper DOB 06/19/84 SSN 498-88-9694 of PO Box RR 8 Box 834 Doniphan, Mo 63935

B. Committed the following offense(s):
Property Damage 2nd degree RSMO: 569.120

C. The probable cause is as follows:

On 2/22/19, at approximately 1355 hours, I was dispatched to the intersection of Dale and Independence St Van Buren, Mo, in reference to a dog being shot.

I was informed by Van Buren Police Officer Robert Dyer, DSN VB8, Mr. Roper had shot and killed one (1) dog and had fired a warning shot and one (1) of the dogs had ran off.

On 2/23/19, at approximately 2010 hours, I was notified by Carter County Sheriff Richard Stephens he was contacted by Mr. Robin Mesey, DOB 11/1/78, and was informed his (Mr. Mesey) other dog had a bullet hole in it.

Mr. Mesey took his dog to the vet, at the Mountain View Animal Clinic, and a bullet was located inside the dog by its shoulder. The vet bill was estimated at \$650.21.

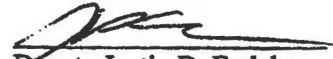
It should be noted there was no other incident with dogs being shot at after this incident.

Mr. Roper informed me he shot one (1) dog dead and fired (1) warning shot.

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D. "I knowing that false statements on this form are punishable by law, hereby affirm that the above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information and belief."

E. (For Misdemeanor Warrants only) I believe the defendant would not appear in court in response to criminal summons and that the defendant poses a danger to the victims, the community, or another person for the following reasons:}


Deputy Justin D. Eudaley

5/8/19 / 1000 hrs
Date/Time

2345-1902



Carter County Sheriff's Office
Calls For Service View Call Report
 101 Hwy W Van Buren, MO 63965
 Phone: (573) 323 - 4510 Fax: (573) 323 - 4182

Call # 2345-1902	Dispatcher One, Dispatch	Received Non Emergency	Call Time 02/22/2019 13:44 Hrs	Caller Name CHARLES ROPER
Phone # (573) - 660 - 3533	Event Type Animal Call	Priority Low	Close Time 02/22/2019 18:00 Hrs	Disposition Clear Report Taken
Location				
Incident Location DALE ST AND INDEPENDENCE VAN BUREN,MO		Latitude 37.008244	Longitude -91.013637	Common Place
Caller Location				
Incident Notes				
Notes GS CHARLES NEEDS VB8 TO THE CORNER OF DALE AND INDEPENDENCE, HE JUST SHOT A DOG. CALLED VB8 GS 1347 VB8 10-23 DM 1403 CC2 CC I'M OUT WITH VB8 ON DALE ST GS 1422 10-21 VB8 10-8 WE OWN THIS CALL NOW. THE DOGS WERE FIGHTING IN THE STREET AND CHARLES SHOT ONE. GS 1428 VB8 IN THE OFFICE HAD US LOG THAT HE ARRIVED ON SCENE AND TOOK POSSESSION OF CHARLES'S HANDGUN AND TURNED IT OVER TO CC2 GS 1430 CC2 10-6 RESD AT THE END OF DALE ST. GS 1432 CC2 10-8 SUBJECT IS GOING TO MEET ME AT THE S-O GS 1439 CC-CC2 THE RP ON THIS CALL IS AT THE S-O				
Officers				
Primary Y	Radio # CC2	Name Eudaley, Justin	Dispatch 02/22/2019 14:08 Hrs	On Scene 02/22/2019 14:03 Hrs
Clear				
Agency Carter County Sheriff's Office				



Carter County Sheriff's Office

Incident Report

101 Hwy W Van Buren, MO 63965

Phone: (573) 323 - 4510 Fax: (573) 323 - 4182

Sheriff Richard Stephens	ORI MO0180000	County Carter County	Venue Van Buren	Report # 190087
(US/Central)	Report Date / Time 04/22/2019 10:23 Hrs	Occurrence Date / Time 02/22/2019 13:45 Hrs	File Class	
Nature of Incident		Supplements Approved Report (1)		
Summary Was dispatched to Dale and Independence St. to investigate a dog that had been shot.				
Incident Location				
Address Dale And Independence St		City Van Buren	State Missouri	ZIP 63965
Country United States of America	County:		Township of Occurrence	
Latitude		Longitude	Beat VanBuren	Sub-Beat VanBuren
Officers Involved				
Role Reporting	Name Chief Deputy J. Eudaley (#CC2)	Agency Carter County Sheriff's Office		Supp # 0
Incident People				
Roles Suspect / Offender		Supp # 0		
Name ROPER, CHARLES (Primary Name)		Title	Date of Birth 06/19/1984	
Race White		Sex M	Age at Occurrence 34 Years Old	DL #
Address: RR 8 Box 834 Doniphan, MO 63935 (Date of Info: 04/22/2019)				
Roles Victim		Supp # 0		
Name MESEY, ROBIN (Primary Name)		Title	Date of Birth 11/01/1978	
Race White		Sex M	Age at Occurrence 40 Years Old	DL #
Address: Hc 1 Box 442 Van Buren, MO 63965 (Date of Info: 04/22/2019)				
Roles Victim		Supp # 0		
Name MESEY, JENNIFER S (Primary Name)		Title	Date of Birth 10/05/1982	

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Race White	Sex F	Age at Occurrence 36 Years Old	DL # S109084001 (Missouri)	
Residence (Date of Info: 09/06/2018) 618-610-6933 - Residence (Date of Info: 09/06/2018)				
Address: 1115 Earl Street Van Buren, MO 63965 (Date of Info: 09/06/2018)				
Roles Other Contact Person			Supp # 0	
Name ROPER, DONNA (Primary Name)		Title	Date of Birth 12/09/1980	
Race White	Sex F	Age at Occurrence 38 Years Old	DL #	
Address: RR 8 Box 8834 Doniphan, MO 63935 (Date of Info: 04/22/2019)				
Incident Property				
Property Index ID 3242	System Evidence ID 1530	Item # 1	Offense	
Property Ammunition		Loss Type ** Property was confiscated as evidence	Status Seized	Value \$ 0.00
Serial #	Make Federal	Model	Damage	
Primary Color	Secondary Color		Quantity 1	
Item Description live .45 round				
Property Index ID 3243	System Evidence ID 1531	Item # 2	Offense	
Property Ammunition		Loss Type ** Property was confiscated as evidence	Status Seized	Value \$ 0.00
Serial #	Make Federal	Model	Damage	
Primary Color	Secondary Color		Quantity 1	
Item Description Shell casing				
Property Index ID 3244	System Evidence ID 1532	Item # 3	Offense	
Property Ammunition		Loss Type ** Property was confiscated as evidence	Status Seized	Value \$ 0.00
Serial #	Make Federal	Model	Damage	
Primary Color	Secondary Color		Quantity 1	
Item Description Shell casing				

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Property Index ID 3245	System Evidence ID 1533	Item # 4	Offense			Supp # 0
Property Gun - Handgun	Loss Type ** Property was confiscated as evidence	Status Seized	Value \$ 0.00	Damage		
Serial # S3305819	Make Springfield Arms	Model			Misc/OAN	
Primary Color Black	Secondary Color				Quantity 1	
Gun Type Pistol	Gun Action Semiautomatic action (autoloading)	Caliber/Gauge .45 ACP, .455 Webley, .45 AutoRim, .45 Long Colt, .45 Winchester Magnum			Barrel Length	
Owner ROPER, CHARLES (DOB) 06/19/1984 - Supp #: 0						
Property Index ID 3246	System Evidence ID 1534	Item # 5	Offense			Supp # 0
Property Ammunition	Loss Type ** Property was confiscated as evidence	Status Seized	Value \$ 0.00	Damage		
Serial #	Make Federal	Model			Misc/OAN	
Primary Color	Secondary Color				Quantity 5	
Item Description live rounds						
Property Status Type			Aggregate Value \$ 0.00			
Grand Total of Property Loss \$ 0.00						

Incident Narratives**Original Narrative**

Author: Chief Deputy J. Eudaley #CC2 Date Created: 04/22/2019 1413 Hrs Supp #: 0

On 2/22/19, at approximately 1355 hours, I was dispatched to the intersection of Dale and Independence Streets Van Buren, Mo in reference to a shot dog. I was contacted by Van Buren Police Chief Alonzo Bradwell, DSN VB 1, and he requested I investigate this incident due to one of his officer's being involved.

I arrived and met with Van Buren Police Department Officer Robert Dyer, DSN VB 8, and he informed me off deputy Police Officer Charles Roper had shot and killed a neighbors dog.

I observed a white and brown dog laying near a trailer. I was informed by Officer Dyer the dog's owner had moved it out of the side of the roadway. I photographed where the was laying and where I was informed it was laying after it was shot. I observed two (2) shell casing and a live round laying in the roadway. Shell casings and live round was photographed and collected as evidence. See attached photographs. All evidence collected was secured in the rear of my patrol vehicle.

Officer Dyer provided me with the firearm Mr. Roper had used to shoot the dog. I secured it int he rear of my patrol vehicle.

I responded and spoke with Mr. Robin Mesey, DOB 11/01/78, and Ms. Jennifer Mesey, DOB 10/5/82. Mr. Mesey stated he was sleeping and heard two (2) gun shots, looked outside and observed Mr. Roper with his pistol out, and his wife's dog dead in the street. See attached written statement.

Ms. Mesey stated Mr. Roper shot her dog and he (Mr. Roper) even stated he did. See attached written statement.

I departed and responded to the end of Dale St where Mr. Roper was and I asked if he would meet me at the Carter County Sheriff's Office and speak with me. Mr. Roper stated he would.

I met with Mr. Roper at the Carter County Sheriff's Office. At approximately 1459 hours, I advised Mr. Roper of his Rights per Miranda, he stated he understood his rights, signed the waiver form, and agreed to speak with me. I asked Mr. Roper what happened and he stated he and his wife Ms. Donna Roper, DOB 12/9/80, were traveling down Dale St. when he observed two (2) dogs attacking another dog. Mr. Roper stated he identified the dog being attacked as his father-in-law's dog. Mr. Roper stated he got out of his vehicle and yelled at the dogs to get off the other dog and the dogs did not obey. Mr. Roper stated he drew his weapon and fired one (1) round into the ground. Mr. Roper stated one (1) dog ran off but the other dog continued to maul his father-in-law's dog. Mr. Roper stated Ms. Roper walked around him and went to pull the dog off her father's dog, when she approached the dog the dog came at her. Mr. Roper stated he fired a shot into the dog and it fell over. Mr. Roper stated he was in fear for Ms. Roper's safety. Mr. Roper stated the owner of the dog came outside. Mr. Roper stated he contacted the Police and attempted to explain to the dog owner what had occurred. Mr. Roper stated the owner became distraught, so he backed off and waited for the police to arrive. See attached written statement.

I spoke with Ms. Roper and she stated she and Mr. Roper were leaving her father's residence, Mr. Jeffery Walberg, DOB unknown, when she seen three (3) dogs fighting in the road. Ms. Roper stated she pointed out to Mr. Roper the dog laying on the ground was her father's dog. Ms. Roper stated they stepped out of their vehicle to try and break them apart. Ms. Roper stated Mr. Roper fired one (1) shot into the ground and one (1) dog ran off. Ms. Roper stated the other dog did not move so she went to break them apart when the dog came towards her so Mr. Roper shot the dog.

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On 2/23/19, at approximately 2010 hours, I was notified by Carter County Sheriff Richard Stephens he was contacted by Mr. Mesey and was informed he and Ms. Messey other dog had a bullet hole in it. I was informed by Sheriff Stephens Mr. and Ms. Mesey were taking the dog to the vet in Mountain View, Mo. I requested Sheriff Stephens advise Mr. and Ms. Mesey I would need copies of the medical records pertaining to the dog. Sheriff Stephens provided me with social media messages between he and Mr. Mesey. At this time I have yet to retrieve any documents from the Mesay's pertaining to the vet visit. See attached photograph of shot dog.

On 4/22/18, at approximately 0945 hours, I contacted the Mountain View Animal Clinic and requested any records pertaining to the Mesey's dog. I was provided with a patient chart pertaining to the dog. See attached. I was informed by staff of the animal clinic the bullet was fragmented to badly to remove from the dogs hip area.

Nothing further at this time.

Signed: Chief Deputy J. Eudaley #CC2

Reviewed: Chief Deputy J. Eudaley #CC2

Jenni For Mesey
10-05-1982

Continuation Sheet

VAN BUREN POLICE DEPARTMENT

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

573-323-4394

STATEMENT Charles shot my dog! He
even said he did.

Jennifer Mesey
Signature

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[Signature]
Officer

City,0012

Robbie Messey

11-01-78

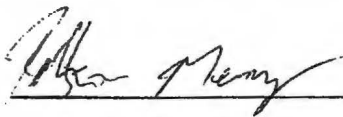
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VAN BUREN POLICE DEPARTMENT

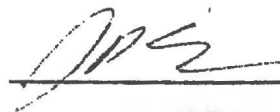
VOLUNTARY STATEMENT

573-323-4394

STATEMENT: I Robbie Messey WAS sleeping ^{Heard} ~~Heard~~ Two
Gunshots Looked outside And seen Charles
Roper with His side arm out and my wifes dog
DEAD In The street!



Signature



Officer

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Carter County Sheriff's Department
P.O. Box 817
Van Buren, MO 63965
Phone # (573)323-4510 ~ Fax # (573)3234182



Statement of Donna Roper Age 38
Address Bb 8 Box 8834 Doniphan mo 63935 Date of Birth 12-9-80
Taken at _____ SSN: _____
Statement Started at (time) _____ Completed at _____ Date 2-22-19
Phone Number (573) 440-3428

Was leaving my fathers house (Jeffery Wallberg)
when we seen 3 dogs in the road fighting. I
pointed out to my husband (Charles Roper) that
the dog lying on the ground was my fathers.
We stepped out of the vehicle to try and break
them apart. My husband fired a warning shot
at the ground and one dog left. The other
dog didn't move so I went to them to try
and break them up. The dog came towards
me and my husband fired another shot
at dog.

This Statement is True and Accurate to the best of my knowledge therefore by signing
my Name I take full responsibility thereof:

Donna Roper
Signature of person making statement

Deputy taking Statement

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[Signature]
Sheriff / Chief Deputy



Carter County Sheriff's Department
P.O. Box 817
Van Buren, MO 63965
Phone # (573)323-4510 ~ Fax # (573)323-4182



Statement of Charles Roper Age 34
Address RR 8 Box 8834 Van Buren MO Date of Birth 6-19-84
Taken at Carter County Sheriff's Dept. SSN: 498-88-9694
Statement Started at (time) 1507 Completed at 1512 Date 2-22-19
Phone Number (573) 660-3533

I Charles Roper was traveling on Dale St. in Van Buren when I approached Independence St. I noticed 2 dogs attacking 1 other dog that I identified as my father-in-law's dog. I got out of the vehicle and yelled at the dogs to get off of him, the dogs did not obey. I drew my weapon and fired 1 round into the ground. 1 dog ran off, the other continued to maul my father-in-law's dog. My wife walked around me and went to pull the dog off. As she approached the dog, the dog released the dog and came at her. I fired 1 shot into the dog and it fell over. I feared for my wife's safety. The dog owner came out of his residence. I called the police. Then tried to explain what happened to the owner. They became distraught so I backed away and waited for law enforcement.

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~~CR~~ ~~CR~~
~~CR~~

This Statement is True and Accurate to the best of my knowledge therefore by signing my Name I take full responsibility thereof:

Charles Roper
Signature of person making statement

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Deputy taking Statement

[Signature]
Sheriff / Chief Deputy

CARTER COUNTY SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT



Statement of Miranda Rights

- You have the right to remain silent.
- Anything you say can be used against you in a court of law.
- You have the right to talk to an attorney and have him or her present with you while you are being questioned.
- If you cannot afford an attorney one will be provided for you.
- • You can decide at any time to exercise these rights and not answer any questions or make any statements.

Waiver of Rights

I have been read the above rights and I understand each of those rights, and having these rights in mind, I am willing to make a statement.

Charles Lopez
Signature

[Signature]
Officer Name

Carter County Sheriffs Office
Officers Department

2/22/19
Date

1459hrs
Time

City,0016

1501 Dale lawn to get food

made it almost to

Sign saw 2 dogs on her father-in-law's dog
had by throat

Fire on e waning shot on ground

1 dog ran off

other dog didn't run off

wife ran up towards dog trying to separate dogs
walked

dog looked up at her went to step at her & bark

Then shot dog 2 shots fired

(1) ground

(1) dog

Middle street
where laying

Fwd: 10(4)

Sent from my iPhone

at approx 0950,
On 4/22/17 spoke to Annal
Chen state bullets was to frag. to
to remove from leg!

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Attn: Justin

573-323-4182

Mountain View Animal Clinic**Patient Chart**

1615 CR 2990
Mountain View, MO 65548
417-934-2323

Printed: 04-22-19 at 2:44p

CLIENT INFORMATION

Name JENIFER MESEY (9506)
Address HC 1, BOX 442
Van Buren, MO 63965
Phone 573 323-2100

Spouse ROBIN MESEY JR.

*Bill to date for Nina \$650.21***△ 02-23-19 3:50p: FERN KUEKER, WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR REST OF THE BILL**PATIENT INFORMATION

Name	NINA	Species	Canine
Sex	Female	Breed	American Bull Dog
Birthday	02-24-14	Age	5y
ID		Rabies	
Color	White/Bm	Weight	58.00 lbs
Reminded	(none)	Codes	

(No reminders are due for this patient.)

NINA's weight history (in lbs)

03-29-19	55.00
03-02-19	58.40
02-23-19	52.00

MEDICAL HISTORY

Date	By	Code	Description	Qty (Variance)	Photo
03-29-19	1	100M	RE-CHECK → <i>removed wrap</i>		
Age: 5y Weight: 58.00					
03-23-19	1	1358	Cast Padding		
		1413A	Tape Coflex 4 Inch		
		1031	Tape Elasticon 2"		2
		1030	Tape Adhesive 2 Inch		
		128	Reversal		
		126	Tranquilize Animal SA		
REMOVED SPLINT. ELBOW IS FAIRLY SOLID AND HAS ABOUT 25% MVT. APPLIED SUPPORT WRAP AND WILL SEE HOW DOING IN A WEEK.					
03-16-19	1	100M	MEDICAL NOTES		
CAST STILL IN PLACE, STARTING TO TRY AND GET AROUND MORE					
03-09-19	1	100M	MEDICAL NOTES		
CAST STAYED IN PLACE. CLIPPED TAP TO LOOSEN UNDER HER LEG. HOLDING CAST UP SO SHE IS GETTING AROUND A LOT BETTER					

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Patient Chart for NINA
Date: 04-22-19, Time: 2:44p

Client: JENIFER MESEY
Page: 3

Date	By	Code	Description	Qty (Variance)	Photo
02-23-19	1	130 4	X-Ray Examination		

DOG PRESENTED WITH GUNSHOT WOUND TO RT ELBOW. X-RAYS SHOWED THAT THE
JOINT WAS UN REPAIRABLE. WILL REMOVE LEG ON MONDAY.

Age: 5y

1

Office Visit

Age: 5y Weight: 52.00

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Patient Chart for NINA
Date: 04-22-19, Time: 2:44p

Client: JENIFER MESEY
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Date	By	Code	Description	Qty (Variance)	Photo
03-05-19	3	100M	MEDICAL NOTES GOT SPLINT OFF. REAPPLIED SPLINT.		
03-04-19	1	1413A 1031	Tape Coflex 4 Inch Tape Elasticon 2"		
03-04-19	3	330	Hospitalization K-9 36#-65#		
03-03-19	3	330	Hospitalization K-9 36#-65#		
03-02-19	1	86	Baytril Tabs 68 mg Tabs GIVE 1 TABLET BY MOUTH 2X DAILY. ANTIBIOTIC	10	
		1031	Tape Elasticon 2"	2	
		1374	Metal Rod 1/4		
		1030	Tape Adhesive 2 Inch		
		35	Apply Thomas Splint APPLIED SPLINT TO LEG TO SEE IF IT WILL ALLOW FOR AN ANKYLOSED ELBOW JOINT.		
		506	Gas Anesthesia SA		
Age: 5y Weight: 56.40					
03-01-19	1	1860	Previcox 227 Mg GIVE 1 TABLET ONCE DAILY FOR PAIN & INFLAMMATION	5	
		100M	RECHECK GOT SUPPORT WRAP OFF ON TUESDAY, WILL SPLINT LEG TOMORROW. OWNER SAYS SEEMS TO BE MORE SORE & SWOLLEN AT NIGHT SO RECOMMENDED GIVING 1/2 TAB IN THE MORNING & OTHER HALF IN THE EVENING.		
02-28-19	3	330	Hospitalization K-9 36#-65#		
02-25-19	3	86	Baytril Tabs 68 mg Tabs GIVE 1 TABLET BY MOUTH 2X DAILY. ANTIBIOTIC	10	
02-25-19	1	27	Antibiotic Injection		
02-25-19	3	330	Hospitalization K-9 36#-65#		
02-25-19	1	206	Hospital Treatment DOG ACTUALLY USING LEG. WRAPPED LEG, GOING TO SEE IF WE CAN CAST AND KEEP LEG		
02-24-19	3	330	Hospitalization K-9 36#-65#		
02-23-19	1	1860	Previcox 227 Mg GIVE 1 TABLET EACH MORNING FOR PAIN & INFLAMMATION.	5	
		27	Antibiotic Injection		
		134	X-Ray Additional Views		

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